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**AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. 1.111**

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Dear Sir:

This is in response to an Office action herein mailed March 3, 2004, setting a time for response to expire June 3, 2004. As this response is filed before July 3, 2004, a petition for a one (1) month extension of time is submitted herewith. Claims 1 and 9 were rejected in the Office action. Careful consideration has been given to the grounds for rejection and the following remarks are offered in response. Reconsideration is respectfully requested.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.